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For: METHOD FOR MEASURING THE PROXIMITY OF TWO CONTOURS AND  
SYSTEM FOR AUTOMATIC IDENTIFICATION OF TARGETS

**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2009, which was made Final. Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments as to form be entered to place this application in condition for allowance.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.